श्री दत्ता मेघे: सर, आज की हालत यह है कि हम हमारे नेता शरद पवार जी का जरूर स्वागत करते हैं कि वहां 3,700 करोड़ रुपए आए हैं, लेकिन वहां पर जो ब्यूरोक्रेट्स हैं, जो सेक्रेटरीज़ हैं, वे हमें 5 करोड़ के ऊपर नहीं दे रहे हैं।

श्री सभापति: बस कीजिए। एक मिनट बचा है, वे फिर जवाब नहीं देंगे।

श्री दत्ता मेघे: ऐसा होने के बाद यह पैसा उन्हें न मिलने की वजह से और भी 60 लोगों ने आत्महत्या की है और उसके बाद और भी लोग आज भी आत्महत्या कर रहे हैं। इन ब्यूरोक्रेट्स के ऊपर, जो इसमें आ रहे हैं, आप क्या कार्रवाई करेंगे? ...(**व्यवधान**)...

श्री वी. हनुमंत राव: सर, तेलंगाना के लिए भी एक पैकेज दिया जाना चाहिए, क्योंकि तेलंगाना में ज्यादा लोग मरे हैं। ...(**व्यवधान**)...

श्री सभापति: इनका भी ध्यान रखिए ...(**व्यवधान**)... ठीक है, हो गया ...(**व्यवधान**)...

श्री शरद पवार : मेघे जी ने जो बात बताई, यह बात यच है कि पिछले महीने भी वहां आत्महत्या का नम्बर ज्यादा रहा है, ऐसी बात हमारे सामने आई है। सर, मगर एक बात यह है कि irrigation के projects के लिए कुछ पैसा दिया गया, जैसे दो हजार या 2.5 हजार करोड़ रुपए, मगर irrigation के ये projects एक महीने में पूरे नहीं हो जाएंगे। इन्हें पूरा करने के लिए 3 साल का समय दिया गया है। इसमें यह पैकेज ...(**व्यवधान**)...

श्री वी. हनुमंत राव: सर, आन्ध्र प्रदेश के लिए भी बोलिए।

श्री शरद पवार: आन्ध्र प्रदेश के लिए हमारे सामने 16 डिस्ट्रिक्ट्स के proposals आन्ध्र प्रदेश की सरकार ने दिए हैं और हम इस पर अमल कर रहे हैं।

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question Hour is over.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO STARRED QUESTIONS

Increasing cases of breast cancer

*84. SHRI SANJAY RAUT: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that breast cancer cases are alarmingly increasing in the country since last three years;

(b) if so, Government's views and reactions thereto;

(c) whether Government have any proposal for making available breast cancer screening test at free of cost to ordinary people of our country;

(d) if so, by when it will be implemented; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMDOSS): (a) to (e) There is no alarming increase in Breast Cancer in the country. However, the data from the population-based Cancer Registries (PBCR) indicates a gradual increase in the incidence rate of Breast Cancer over the past 20 years in the cities of Mumbai, Chennai, Bangalore, Delhi and Bhopal. There is no such increase in the Rural areas in and around Barshi in Maharashtra. These statements are based on the data collected from 1982—2000. Data regarding the incidence of breast cancer over the past three years is being compiled and analysed.

There are two ways of early detection of Breast Cancer—one, by Mammography and two, Clinical Breast Examination (CBE). Experts are of the view that Mammography is not practicable and an affordable method for Breast Cancer screening in India. It has been suggested that Breast Cancer would be best tackled through an early detection programme using Clinical Breast Examination performed by trained Para Medical Personnel such as Female Health Workers. As such, there is no proposal for breast cancer screening in the country.

However, as per the revised schemes of National Cancer Control Programme (NCCP), special emphasis is now being laid on early detection of Cancer by promoting health education, creating awareness etc. Under this Programme, Breast Self Examination is being advocated. Mammography is used by experts in tertiary care centres to diagnose high risk cases, or suspected cases and also for follow up of patients. The Central Government is also supplementing the efforts of the State Governments by providing financial assistance for procurement of diagnostic and therapeutic equipment in cancer care in Government Medical Colleges/Hospitals. In addition, the comprehensive cancer detection and management facilities including cancer testing facilities

in respective regions/States are provided by 25 Regional Cancer Centres developed over the years under NCCP. The public awareness about cancer is also being carried out through the telecast of the Programme "Kalyani" on Doordarshan.

Shifting of Guwahati Railway Station

*85. SHRIMATI SYEDA ANWARA TAIMUR: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Railway authorities are considering a proposal for shifting of the Guwahati Railway Station from its present site and a proposal has also been mooted to enlarge the Kamakhya station and shift the railway line from its present position to Narangi by the side of the Kalapahar crossing the Guwahati-Shillong road;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) by when this work would be completed?

THE MINISTER OF RAILWAYS (SHRI LALU PRASAD): (a) No, Sir. There is no proposal for shifting of Guwahati Railway Station from its present site. However, Kamakhya is being developed as a second coaching terminal to Guwahati. There is no proposal to shift the railway line from its present position to Narangi.

(b) and (c) Phase-I work of development of second coaching terminal at Kamakhya costing Rs. 10.32 Crore has been sanctioned in the Budget 2006-07. In Phase-I, it is proposed to provide two washing-cum-pit lines, one stabling line, 3 sick lines, one shunting neck and a parcel siding at Kamakhya. The target date for completion is June, 2008.

Salem Railway Division

*86. SHRIMATI S.G. INDIRA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Railways had decided to bring in the areas now with the Palakkad Division under Salem Railway Division;

(b) if so, the details thereof;